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THE NEWPORT MERCURY was established in June, 1739, and is now the oldest newspaper in the Union, and, with less than half a dozen exceptions, the oldest printed in the English language. It is a large quarterly sheet of fifty-six columns filled with interesting reading, well selected miscellany, valuable news, and household departments.

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### Societies Occupying Mercury Hall.

GEO. NATHANIEL GREENE Council No. 6, Order United American Mechanics; Charles H. Clarke, Councillor; W. H. C. Johnson, Recording Secretary; meets every Monday evening.

COOPERATION COMMANDERY No. 19, People's Five Year Benefit Order; John J. Peckham, Commander; David Stevens, Secretary; meets 1st and 3d Thursday evenings in each month.

EXALTOSON LODGE No. 49, I. O. O. F.; Geo. R. Chase, Noble Grand; Wm. H. Hooper, Secretary; meets every Tuesday evening.

MALIBOR LODGE No. 30, N. E. O. P.; John J. Peckham, Warden; James H. Goddard, Secretary; meets 1st and 3d Wednesday evenings in each month.

THE NEWPORT HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY; A. K. McMahon, President; J. J. Butler, Secretary; meets 2d and 4th Wednesday evenings in each month.

PERSEVERANCE LODGE No. 336, K. of H. Dictator, Henry K. Lawton; Reporter, G. H. Chase; meets 2d and 4th Thursday evenings.

REDWOOD LODGE No. 11, K. of P.; Julius G. Lutz, Chancellor Commander; Herbert L. Marsh, Keeper of Records and Seal; meets every Friday evening.

DAVIS DIVISION No. 8, U. H. K. of P.; Sir Knight Captain, John H. Weatherell; Daniel P. Hall, Recorder; meets last Friday evening in each month.

### THE GLORIOUS FOURTH.

#### A BIG CELEBRATION PROMISED FOR NEWPORT.

The members of the committee on Fourth of July celebration have been exceedingly active since their appointment, and as a result, there is every evidence that Newport is to have a "Big Fourth" this year. Realizing that to attain this desired result more money than the City Council appropriated would be necessary, the committee immediately went to work to raise by private subscription an additional amount, and, getting Mr. S. S. Vars to aid in the matter, they have certainly been very successful.

The committee has not constantly each member showing great interest in the work, and a programme which will include the following attractions has already been made up: In the morning, starting at 10 o'clock, will be a street parade, the line including the light battery and troops from Fort Adams, the naval apprentices and marines from the Training Station, the Newport Artillery Company, the Newport Light Infantry, the Newport Fire Department, men and apparatus, and the various civic societies of the city. The line will form on Washington square and march along Thames, Dearborn, Spring, Bowery, Bellevue Avenue, Kay, Ayraut, Broadway to Bliss road and back, Marlboro, Farwell, Walnut, Washington, Bruden, Thame, Touro and Bellevue avenue to Touro Park, where it is expected to arrive about 12:30. At the Park an oration will be delivered by Mr. J. Stacy Brown, son of Hon. Lewis Brown, of this city, and the leading orator of his class at Harvard, and the Declaration of Independence will be read by one of the pupils of Rogers High School, these exercises to be interspersed with patriotic music.

In the afternoon there will be a balloon ascension and parachute at the Middlesex Avenue lot, and a base ball match, bicycle race and athletic sports—both by professionals and amateurs—at Morton Park.

In the evening there will be band concerts and fire works at Touro and Morton Parks.

Mr. Louis Shantelot will act as chief marshal of the day, and will be provided with the requisite number of aids.

The Fourth of July committee is composed of Aldermen Waters (chairman) and Young, and Common Councilmen McCormick, Openshaw and Stoddard.

### Base Ball.

An interesting game of base ball between the Roger High School nine and the Atlantics, was witnessed by a good sized audience at Morton Park Saturday, and it was won by the R. H. S. in a score of 6 to 2. The High School boys are playing an excellent game this season, and bid fair to be the champions before the end of the summer.

Today's game at Morton Park will be between the Pacifics of this city and the Banner Boys of Providence, and a well contested match is expected.

The annual memorial services to the late Rev. Charles T. Brooks were held at Channing church Sunday and were largely attended. The church was tastefully decorated with wild flowers, and Rev. H. G. Spaulding, of Boston, preached an eloquent sermon appropriate to the occasion. In the afternoon the children of the Sunday-school went to the cemetery as usual and decorated the grave of Mr. Brooks with a profusion of flowers.

There was a large gathering at the residence of Mrs. John Gilpin on John street, Monday evening, to participate in and witness an entertainment given by the Eworth League of the Thames street M. E. church. The evening was most enjoyable spent.

Dr. C. W. Brown of this city, has been appointed deputy for the new council of the Order of the United American Mechanics lately formed at Block Island, and he will visit them on the second Tuesday in July.

New York papers announce the engagement of Miss Maude, second daughter of Hon. and Mrs. George Peabody Welmore, to Mr. Barton Willing, son of Mr. Edward Willing, and brother of Mrs. John Jacob Astor.

On and after Monday next the steamer H. S. Caswell will commence her trips to Narragansett Pier, making three round trips each day. This will afford a grand opportunity for all who wish to visit this unique summer resort.

Edwin G. Alger has sold about 2000 square feet of land, with buildings, on the north side of South Baptist street to Henry H. Barker for \$1, etc.

Steamers City of Newport and Thomas A. Morgan are now running on the Continental line between Providence and this city.

George Maynard of this city has received the Washington scholarship in Johns Hopkins University.

Judge Wm. G. Hammond, Dean of the St. Louis Law School, St. Louis, Mo., has been in town this week.

Class work at the new War College building is expected to begin July 10.

### Hazard Memorial School Graduation.

The first year's work of the Hazard Memorial School of St. Joseph's Parish was brought to a close this week and the interesting and highly creditable anniversary exercises, held at the school hall Thursday afternoon, gave conclusive evidence that the work had been successful and must have been most gratifying to Rev. Father Coyle and the sisters, who have had charge of the instruction, as well as to Mr. George Babcock Hazard, through whose influence the elegant school house was built.

The exercises drew a large and representative audience, not only of the pupils' parents and members of the parish generally, but of Protestant citizens who are interested in educational matters, and among those occupying seats on the stage were noticed ex-Mayor Thomas Coggeshall, Captain C. C. Churchill, U. S. A., and Messrs. T. E. Blakely, John Gilpin, M. F. Shea, Richard Miss, Daniel Galvin, F. E. Nolan and George Babcock Hazard, the generous founder of the school.

Rev. Father Coyle opened the exercises with a brief but feeling address upon the excellent work accomplished during the year, and the bright prospects of future improvement, and made eloquent reference to Mr. Hazard whose thoughtful generosity had made the great triumph of the day possible, after which the diplomas and prizes were awarded according to merit.

After the awards had been made Mr. Rev. Bishop Hawkins addressed the school in much the same terms as had the pastor, expressing great pride and gratification at the excellent showing which had been made, and impressing upon the children the gratitude which they should feel toward Mr. Hazard who had given them such exceptional opportunities for an education.

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### Bad Death of E. W. Gould.

A sad accident occurred on the grounds of the Staten Island Athletic Club Saturday afternoon, by which Mr. Edward W. Gould, a well known son of Newport, lost his life. The Club was giving an amateur Wild West performance in which Mr. Gould and his two sons, Mr. David J. Gould and Mr. E. W. Gould, Jr., were participants.

The former, acting the part of the "old settler," occupied a place on the "Deadwood Coach" beside the driver, while his sons were among the attacking Indians, and Mrs. Gould, the wife and mother, was an interested spectator on the grand stand. During the excitement of the attack the horses attached to the coach took fright and turning short upset the coach. Mr. Gould was instantly killed, his neck being broken, while the other occupants escaped serious injury. The accident caused great excitement and cast a shadow over all that will not soon be removed.

Mr. Gould carried on a large brokerage business in New York, in which his two sons were associated with him, and had a seat in the New York Stock Exchange. He was a son of the late David J. Gould and was born in this city about fifty years ago. His remains were brought here for burial in the family lot in the Island Cemetery, and the funeral was solemnized from the residence of Mr. Wm. C. Cozzens, on Howard Avenue, Tuesday afternoon. Rev. Dr. Jones, of Staten Island officiated and the services were attended by a large number of relatives and friends. The pall bearers were Messrs. Francis H. Peckham, Robert S. Barker, Anthony S. Sherman, Howard Smith, Godfrey Moffit, Edward Newton, Lewis Brown and William G. Stevens.

The graduation exercises of the public schools will take place next week. In the Rogers High School there will be a change this year, the exercises taking place on Tuesday at Masonic Hall. The graduating exercises of the First Grammar grade will occur on Wednesday at Coddington Hall.

Mr. Geo. A. Weaver has got in the foundation for his new business block on Broadway, Spring and Stone Streets, and work upon that for the Aquidneck Bank building, on Thames and Green streets, is progressing rapidly.

Grand Master Henry T. Easton and the officers of the Grand Lodge of Rhode Island made an official visit to Sacoconet Lodge, I. O. O. F., at Little Compton last evening.

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### Washington Commandery.

The annual inspection of Washington Commandery, by the officers of the Grand Commandery, took place Tuesday evening and was a very enjoyable occasion. In the absence of the Grand Commandery, on account of sickness, the duty of inspection devolved upon Capt. E. Pierce, of Boston, Grand Standard Bearer, assisted by James M. Gleason, of Boston, Grand Lecturer. The Commandery, under the charge of Gen. Sir Wm. W. Sampson, Commander, turned out in full ranks to escort the visitors to the hall. The Newport Band furnished music. After the secret work was performed a sumptuous banquet was served. Pleasing addresses were afterwards made by the visiting fraternities and others. The evening passed off in a very pleasant manner, and was voted by all to have been one of the most enjoyable in the history of the Commandery.

The Rose and Strawberry Show.

Owing to a previous engagement of Masonic Hall for Tuesday, 28th inst., the Newport Horticultural Society has been obliged to make the opening for its rose and strawberry show one day later. The exhibition will be given Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, June 29 and 30, and July 1, and if those who can contribute will do so, it is sure to be a grand success. Every one of our farmers who raise strawberries for the market should be represented. Read the advertisement in another column and do not fail to attend the show during the three days that it is open.

Mr. Edward Sisson died at his home in Portsmouth Thursday morning at an age within two days of being 81. He was one of the prominent citizens of Portsmouth, and for several years was a member of the town council. He was well known in Newport.

The Daily News commemorated its twenty-fifth anniversary on Tuesday by the publication of a profusely illustrated supplement giving a history of the paper and its founder and a description of the present establishment. It is an interesting document.

Major H. C. Cushing of the 4th U. S. Artillery at Fort Adams, has presented C. E. Lawton Post, G. A. R., with a gavel made from wood found on the battle field of Checmagus. Imbedded in the wood is a bullet.

Mr. J. Frank Waters has resigned his position in the Newport postoffice and accepted one of mail clerk on the Boston and Providence Railroad, his run being from Providence to Boston and return.

Mr. Joseph M. Lyon, a well-known citizen died on Monday last in the 77th year of his age. The deceased carried on the plumbing business for many years at the corner of Thames and Gladys streets. He was never married.

Col. Joseph T. Perry, of this city, has resigned as aide-de-camp on Brigadier General Kendall's staff and Mr. Isaac F. Williams, Jr., of Bristol, has been appointed to the vacancy.

Mr. J. H. Cottrell, son of ex-Alderman J. H. Cottrell, of this city, plays right-field in the base ball team of Holy Cross College.

Mrs. August Belmont and Messrs. August Belmont, Jr., and O. H. P. Belmont have arrived at Bybessan, for the season.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Wharton are on their way home from Europe and are expected at their summer cottage next week.

A barn on the Northam farm, so called, in Middletown, owned by Mr. Joshua Arnold, was destroyed by fire Saturday night.

Colonel Jerome Napoleon Bonaparte and Mrs. Bonaparte are at their Harrison Avenue cottage for the first time in several seasons.

A party from the Providence Liederkranz made an excursion to Newport Sunday and were entertained by the Newport Liederkranz.

The afternoon services at Berkeley Memorial Chapel, Middletown, has been changed from 4 o'clock to 4:30. The Sunday school meets at 3:30.

The hotel Aquidneck is more popular this season than ever. It is doing a good business.

Mr. Edward J. Burlingham is home from St. Marks College for his summer vacation.

Timothy C. Sullivan has sold 7,500 square feet of land on Greene Avenue to Dalton E. Young, for \$1, etc.

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### Real Estate Sales and Rentals.

Delbois, Hunter & Eldridge have rented for Mrs. William Edgar her brick dwelling on Beach street to Mr. Eugene Kelly, Jr., of New York, for the season.

A. O'D. Taylor has rented for the summer the 10 acre lot near the Methodist Church in Middletown, for Mrs. Elizabeth L. Langley of Newport to Benjamin Wyatt of Middletown. A. O'D. Taylor has also rented for the summer the six acre lot, top of Huomen Hill, known as the Keel estate, to Mr. Adolphus W. Turner of Middletown.

A. O'D. Taylor has let for the summer season to Mrs. Elizabeth M. Culgan of New York, Miss Neilson's furnished house at 10 Cottage street, Newport.

Simon Hazrd has let on lease store No. 7 in Smith's Block, to George H. Populo who will open a shoe store at an early day.

Fanny Lucas has sold about 3000 sq. ft. of land on Lucas Avenue to Mary L. Wilcox, for \$151.50.

N. M. R. A.

At a regular meeting of Newport Associates No. 4, Northern Mutual Relief Association held Tuesday evening, June 21, the following officers were elected for the term ending December 31, 1892:

President—Arthur J. Gilligan.  
Vice President—William L. Nutting.  
Secretary—Mrs. Sarah A. Gilligan.  
Collector—David Stevens.  
Treasurer—Daniel L. Cummings.  
Ass't Collector—John L. Palmer.  
Chaplain—George E. Taylor.  
Inner Warden—Mrs. C. M. Cranfill.  
Outer Warden—John H. Hudson.  
Organist—William D. Barley.  
Musical Examiner—John H. Parker.  
Bell Ringer—Augustine J. Gilligan.  
Hull Ringer—George E. Taylor.  
Trustee—James C. Cranfill.  
Trustee—James B. Brown.  
Edward P. March.  
Mr. John P. Sanborn who has served as president of the organization for the last six and a half years, positively declined re-election. The officers-elect will be installed on Tuesday evening July 5, by Robert S. Franklin, Deputy Grand Marshal.

Schooner Geo. E. Vernon sailed from New York at 6 A. M. Wednesday, for Rosario in the Argentine Republic. She has a general cargo on board consisting of kerosene oil, agricultural implements, lumber and roses. Her gross freight out amounts to \$5,418.75 in American gold.

The first number of the Mid Ocean for the season of 1892, the well-known Block Island summer paper, will be issued next Saturday. It will be published twice a week through the season.

Miss Nettie Titus, daughter of Mr. A. C. Titus, has returned to her home here.

PORSCHEMUTH.

The Town Council and Court of Probate held its regular session in the town hall on the 13th inst.

PROBATE MATTERS.—Lydia Ann Pompey was appointed guardian of the personal estate of her minor daughter, Lena Pompey.

**Poetry.****Philosophy.**

By E. H. KENNEDY.

I sat my heart against all sorrow, and I said:  
"I will be happy whatever befalls!"  
And full soon the darling of my stock was laid  
Beneath the somber palm.

Then grieved my aching heart in uttermost  
despair;

My streams dried from their source in woe,  
Time passed more, I made ready that  
man should e'er  
Pictur'd my tranquil dreams.

I courted joy, sorrow came, a plague in gray;  
And the reefs as memory's waves forget;  
A balm of sprang up, where blood'd  
But yesterday.

A bed of violets.

At last, full tired of seeking joy and finding  
sorrow,

I said, "Oh, thing of mortal I practice come  
With me today—but to grief and me on the  
morrow."

Make my heart thy home."

Then joy unspread her wings to follow where  
I went by as a fairy's dream;

The fragrant air seemed filled with songs mel-

lanch.

And life was joy supreme.

There's wealth in penury, how rich are they  
who own

Contented hearts, and strength to bear their  
lot;

And, don't a jolly tyrant paper on a throne,

We're happier in a cot.

But would I teach thy heart the dear philosophy?

That shows blossoms on the human race;

Frighten'd we, the sun's best privilege to die

At see his Maker's face!

Of what avail is it to know when life shall

end?

Our lives are reckoned but by deeds—not  
years;

Enough to know that God to every heart will

Send its share of joy and tears.

(Good Housekeeping.)

**A Song of Youth.****BY FRAYER SCOTT MINES.**

Laughed the youth, "Love's silken chain  
With no charm a for me—

When the whole world I may gain—

Life is love," quoth he.

"Love is blind," cried the youth,

"From Love's altar fire

Rises smoke that abuts out Truth,

Hides life's high decree."

"Daphne of the woodland shrine,

Phyllis of the fold,

Both to win who is divine,

But to none I find."

Even that laughed at his words,

Then like the whirr of humming-birds

Spir'd the arrow forth.

Wren Hyacinth of the school

Tropic Philosophy,

Reft the youth before her stool,

For her love pray'd he.

Like a bird with broken wings,

Which dared not more,

Listened in to abstract things,

't Life's brevet of Love.

"Love is life," the poor youth pray'd,

"All the world than art!"

White the fat Platano laid

Smiled, but owned no heart.

Even laugh'd, "This is the euro

Of the gods," cried he,

"Who thinks Love does not endure

Finds philosophy."

**Selected Tale.****CHRIS' GUARDIAN.**

There's a telegram, Christ! They  
will be here by the 8.30.

Christina Barrett turned round quickly,

"Really and truly?" she cried.

"You are not chafing?"

"Glorious bright! look! here it is."

Christina read the paper eagerly, and  
then dashed across the step into the hall, saying: "My dear old guardian! Now I shall have somebody belonging  
to me at last!"

Janet and May Drayton watched her  
half sadly; they had parents and brothers, and cousins innumerable, but poor

little Chris was alone in the world.

The excitement of the new arrivals was too much for them, and Janet,

full of the subject, went on. "We have  
not seen Will for five years. How long  
is it since you saw Major Wetheral?"

"Fifteen years!" said Christina, so-

boring down at once. "I was four years  
old when I left India, and I had not  
seen father for seven years before his

death. Oh! girls, whatever you do,  
don't have anything to do with native

regiments!"

I would not for anything!" cried  
May. "Just look at you and your people. Why it's worse than exile!"

Janet said nothing; somebody was

trying for the staff corps, and she

thought it advisable to change the sub-

ject before it became personal, so she

suggested that the other two had bet-

ter take their things off, as it was just

too time, and no one thought anything

more about parting, for the meeting

absorbed everybody. Maj. Wetheral

was in a sad mood all the journey down

from town. Christina was the only

child of his dearest friend, besides be-

ing his playmate and ward; and only a

year previous Barrett was preparing to

return, when he got fever, and died af-

ter two days' illness. Christina was

likely to be a serious charge for she had

largely inherited a large fortune from

the distant relative who had taken care

of her ever since her return from India,

and the major would have to attend to

all the business, which had been inter-

rupted by Col. Barrett's death.

Christina always spoke of Major

Wetheral as her old guardian, and his

appearance rather bore out her words,

for his dark hair was plentifully streaked

with gray, and his face had many

anxious lines about it. But it was care

which had aged him, and his friend-

ship with young Will Drayton was not

quite such a strange affair as Janet and

May thought, for he was barely 40, and

robust and strong a man as any officer

in her majesty's service.

The drawing room in Drayton Hall

was brightly lighted, and dazzled the

two men's eyes as they came out of the

November darkness; but it was only for

a moment, and then, while Will was

embraced by his mother and sisters, a

slender, golden-haired, black-robed fig-

ure came eagerly up to the major, two

hands clasped in his, and a low sweet

voiced said, "Oh! guardian, I

am so glad to see you again!" and all

his dismal morn vanished into thin

air in a moment.

Christina was very pretty, and Maj.

Wetheral, who saw the resemblance to

her fair young mother, was very much

struck with her; but he felt a little en-

vious when he saw that Will Drayton

admired her immensely. The young

man managed to sit next to her at din-

ner, and it was very irritating to the

major to hear the two tongues going,

and to know that Chris was asking all

the questions that he ought to have an-

swered, and that Will was drawing all

the pictures of Lucknow and the native

life he had rehearsed in imagination.

But after dinner the girl came up to

him with her pretty, gentle manner, and

said: "I want you to tell me so many

things," and Maj. Wetheral was disar-

med in a moment, and a long talk fol-

lowed that was very pleasant to both.

"Where is Miss Barrett?" asked Will

one day. "The ice bears, and I want

to give her a lesson."

"You won't get her this morning,"

answered May. "Maj. Wetheral has

just taken it into his head to make her

a woman of business, and she is hard at work in the library learning the differences between real and personal property."

"Is she so rich, then?" inquired Will, who regarded her as a pretty girl who was not a poor relation.

"She will have \$25,000 a year at least," said May impudently, "besides a lovely place in Hertsfordshire; but everything is in such a mess owing to her father's death, and the wording of the will, that it will take the major two years' leave to get it in order."

"Why doesn't he leave it to the law?" said Will carelessly, and then sauntered out into the park.

Meanwhile, Christina was giving all possible attention to her guardian's explanations, and showing much comprehension and good sense that he was delighted with.

"I'm very glad you understand it," he remarked kindly, "for you will have to look after those things for yourself when I go back to India."

"Must you go back?" asked Christina.

"I am a poor man, dear, and must stay a bit longer. If I get the command of the regiment in another year, I may be able to come home in five or six years."

"Or you may get favor like daddy did," said the girl, pilately. "Oh! guardian, I wish you would stay and live with me!"

The major blushed. "I don't think Mrs. Grundy would allow it, dear; though I am 20 years older than you. You must marry some one—there will be plenty of people asking for you—and then I shall go back to my work with a mind at ease."

Christina said no more, but she thought to herself that she should never care for a young man as she did for her old guardian, and then, girl-like, she let the future be, and devoted herself to enjoying the present. They had a gay Christmas at Drayton Hall, and the young people made the most of it—they skated, they rode, they snowball'd, according to the weather, with almost equal zest, and wherever Christina was, Will was sure to be close by.

He, too, had had a business conversation with his father, and the charm of the girl's beauty was intensified by the knowledge that her fortune would be of great use to a family who were by no means so rich as they had been, and that to himself in especial a certain amount of ready money would be of distinct advantage.

"What's the matter, major?" The second post was in, and Maj. Wetheral had sat quite five minutes with an open letter on his knee.

"Bad news, Christ!" he said cheerfully. "They are going to send a force to Sikkim, and I am to be in command—don't cry!"

"They are going to do it," answered the major, "and my leave is cancelled in consequence—don't cry, Christ; be brave, like a soldier's daughter!" But Christina was past being brave. She clung to him and sobbed, and begged him not to, till he had to grow stern and tell her not to be silly, and even then it was all he could do to soothe and quiet her again.

Maj. Wetheral was to join his regiment at Sikkim, and found that he should have a fortnight for preparations; and a very busy fortnight it was. Not only

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For tickets and information apply at the New York and Boston Dispatch Express office, 272 Thames street, J. I. Greene, ticket agent.

The PLYMOUTH will leave Newport every Sunday evening. Ample accommodations provided for Newport passengers on that day.

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No horses or carriages transported Sundays.

All freight must be delivered at Wm. T. Farrel's before steamboat leaves for Fall River.

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Leave Newport 6:45, 9:15, 10:30, 11:45 A.M., 2:30, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30, 6:30, 8:30 P.M., Sundays at 8:30, 10:30 A.M., 2:30, 3:30 P.M.

WEST FERRY.

STEAMER JAMESTOWN

Between Jamestown and Narragansett

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**The Mercury.**

ONE F. MARCUS, Editor and Proprietor

SATURDAY, JUNE 25, 1892.



The bill providing for the election of the house commissioners by the city councils of the various cities in the state was killed in the General Assembly Thursday. The bill providing for biennial elections received the majority vote of all the members elected to both houses, and, accordingly now goes to the people for their ratification.

The Providence Journal still shouts for its pet, Cleveland, but it would like to know who Stevenson is. It says of him:

The country will be pleased to be informed to Mr. Stevenson of Illinois whenever his political friends are ready to inform us of the qualifications he may have for admission into the circle of those whom everybody has heard of. Meanwhile he seems to be most generally known among the numerous Republicans postmasters whom he officially beat when he was serving the Cleveland administration.

Is not this a little rough on the model (?) administration of the Journal's dearly beloved?

Senator and ex-Governor Hill, of New York, has proved the biggest failure of all the politicians that started in to obtain a Presidential nomination. He captured the great State of New York, stole the Legislature, called a snap convention in mid-winter to elect his dummy delegates, promised to have the New York electors chosen by his made Legislature, he went into the convention backed by an untold horde of Tammany chaps and braves and yet, notwithstanding all this, and more, he was cast overboard by his party without a pang. In short, he is the worse whipped man, for one who has tried so hard and promised so much, of the century.

Brown University seems to be scattering her honorary degrees around promiscuously this year. In the general shower one of them lighted on Newport. The Hon. William P. Sheppard was made a Doctor of Laws. Ex-Gov. Ladd, of Providence, was made a Master of Arts. The same degree was conferred on several other men of that city, who are supposed to have done something at some time. At the rate they are going all Providence will be able to write A. M. after their names at an early date. Senator Aldrich was added to the list of LL.D.'s. Newport has but one graduate at Brown this year, John Frederick Blacklock. Middletown has one graduate, Arthur Lincoln Chase, whose commencement thesis was "The Anatomy of the Shrimp."

The defeat of Mayor Honey as a member of the Democratic National Committee was a great surprise to his followers in this city. It was telegraphed from Chicago Wednesday that he had been unanimously chosen to that coveted position by the Rhode Island delegation. His friends here got ready to give their victorious leader a great send off when he returned. They had gotten out a subscription paper to raise the necessary funds and were to give him a complimentary parade and banquet. Friday morning came the news that all that had gone before was false, and Newport's mayor was not honored at all. In fact, after a long contest in which the vote stood 4 to 4, he was finally defeated and Mr. Fayette E. Bartlett, of Burrillville, was chosen in his place. This was decidedly unpleasant news to his friends, and as far as the Democratic ticket, in this State, is concerned is a damage to the party.

The General Assembly of Rhode Island have been in session again this week and most of the time has been devoted to the Newport bill, which has finally passed both branches and become a law. This is the same bill as was introduced at the January session by Mr. Peckham and provided that the governor shall appoint a commission of three to divide the city of Newport into five wards, and that hereafter the Board of Aldermen shall consist of five, one to be chosen from each ward. We have already commented upon this bill, and believe it to be a just and fair one. We trust that the Governor will now appoint a commission of fair minded men and that their work when completed will command itself to the people generally as being a division eminently proper to be made.

Grover Cleveland and Gov. Russell of Massachusetts, are in session today at Gray Gables, the President's home, receiving delegations all day. W. G. White and others in Chicago. Gov. Russell had intended to depart last night, but decided to remain over today and keep in touch with the direct dispatches to the galleries from the wigwam.

The above dispatch is from a Democratic paper of Wednesday. It is all right and the distinguished gentlemen above alluded to had a perfect right to have a private wire, and the governor of Massachusetts had a right to stop with his friend Grover if he wished to do so, instead of keeping his engagements at Worcester and Amherst. But what we have been waiting for is the Providence Journal's opinion on the subject. When President Harrison had the bulletins of the Minneapolis convention delivered at his private office where he could attend to business and at the same time learn what was going on in the great convention, the Journal devoted most of the editorial space for several days to sarcastic allusions to it and to the condemnation of the act. We have waited three days now and that paper has not yet found time to allude to the governor of Massachusetts including himself miles away from business to listen to the music of the wires, which also did not sing for him after all.

## Cleveland Again.

The Democratic National Convention has met, done its work and adjourned. It had rather a stormy session all through. The elements at times poured down their deluge upon the heads of the faithful, and the opponents of the Cleveland faction poured down their torrents of denunciatory eloquence at the same time. As was expected ex-President Cleveland was nominated on the first ballot, the New York delegation voting solidly for ex-Gov. Hill. For Vice President an unknown man in the person of Adal E. Stevenson, of Illinois, was chosen. The platform is remarkable only for one thing, it is distinctly and unequivocally in favor of free trade. The committee reported in favor of a straddle on that subject but the convention would not have it and by a vote of 304 to 312 knocked out the committee's report and adopted the following:

"We declare it to be a fundamental principle of the Democratic party that the federal government has no constitutional power to enforce and collect tariff duties except for the purpose of revenue only and demand that the collection of such taxes shall be limited to the necessities of the government, honestly and economically administered."

This throws off the mask and makes the Democratic party what its opponents have long claimed, that it is, an absolutely free trade party. It also makes the issue in the coming campaign a distinct one between protection to home industry on one hand and absolute free trade on the other.

The National Democratic Committee for Rhode Island is Hon. Fayette E. Bartlett, of Burrillville, Col. Honey, of Newport, being defeated for the place he so much coveted.

## Democratic Opinion of Cleveland.

The following extract from the speech of the Hon. Bourke Cockran, of New York, shows how the Democracy of that State look upon the nomination of Cleveland:

Now, gentlemen, when you are asked to make this nomination against our protest, it means the endorsement of the war that has been made against us and against the Democratic party. It means that we should disbase ourselves before them whom we have trampled in the dust in the name of a triumphant, aggressive and militant Democracy. It means that the men who have carried us to victory are to be dishonored in a Democratic convention. [Applause.] They are to have the brand of disapproval placed upon their actions, because, forsooth, they are in this convention objectionable to Republicans. Mr. Cleveland is popular in Republican states because his Democracy is not offensive to Republicans. [Loud and long continued applause.] The man that we consider strong, the man in whose leadership we have faith, is he who bears up on his bosom the marks of the weapons of the Republican party. The man who bleeds for the cause in front of the army in the man who knows no lagards in his rear. We have a homogeneous party. For God's sake leave it to us. If we're not accorded the nomination that we ask for from the state of New York, give us any citizen in the United States, [cheers] any citizen who is a Democrat. [Cheers.] Give us some man who will not raise up against us any hostile force within our own ranks. [Cheers.]

I believe it was the distinguished general from Massachusetts, General Collins, who declared there was no Democrat in this Union that would vote against this ticket. But there are behind him two heroes whose deeds have not escaped the attention of history, two heroes who have led the Union to victory and who have never made faces at the vanquished foe, and they will tell you here that the soldier voters of the state of New York, of whom there are 65,000 at least Democratic, will not support the nomination of Mr. Cleveland, and did not support it in 1888.

General Sickles rose in his place among the New York delegation and said:—"No, no, never." There were three cheers and hisses heard about the hall and in the galleries.

Mr. Cockran proceeding said:—Is it wise to antagonize that vote, to antagonize it without reason, to antagonize it blindly, defiantly, recklessly? What is the excuse? Give that we can get this Mugwump vote. Now, I warn this convention from the experience of every Democrat who has carried the state of New York—and no Democrat has failed to do it in nine years except Grover Cleveland—that you cannot get the Mugwump vote without driving away most of the states for balloting was ordered amid great excitement.

A motion to adjourn till 11 was lost. The ballot for nomination then proceeded.

Grover Cleveland was nominated for the presidency on the first ballot, receiving 611 1/2 votes. The vote for Hill was 112; for Bates 103.

## THE CLOSING SESSION.

CHICAGO, June 21.—After a ten hours' rest yesterday at Chicago, the delegates assembled at the Wigwam soon after 2 o'clock, and nomination speeches for vice-presidential candidates were made.

Seconding speeches were made all along down the roll-call of states, and the balloting commenced. When the call was concluded, it was seen that Stevenson led by a good margin, but he had not two-thirds. Then one state after another changed its vote, and when the Illinois had a little over 600, someone moved that the nomination be unanimous, and this was done.

I have heard it stated here by the gentleman from Pennsylvania, that in ISSA the State of New York protested the nomination of Mr. Cleveland and foretold his imminent defeat. The gentleman from Pennsylvania is mistaken in his history. The State of New York, by an overwhelming majority, presented his name to this convention. A minority of the delegation protested in the hearing of the nominating body against the imminent folly of imperilling prospects that looked as far as any that dawned over Democracy. Now, the prophecy was not carried out or realized. But why? We are told that Cleveland carried the State. We are told that he was successful at the polls, but does not the gentleman remember that the victory was due to Burchard rather than his amazing popularity? Is not this denial of justice to Burchard enough to make his grave clothes fit him intimately in his grave? Is it not enough to make his bones turn in their resting place? Is there a greater proof of the ingratitude of republicans than this forgetfulness of the gentleman from Pennsylvania of the credit to the memory of the preserver and savior of the Democracy in the year 1884?

Old Hutch, the grain speculator, has decided not to run a restaurant in New York with as great suddenness as he came to the conclusion to embark in the enterprise. He is selling the crockery he bought for the purpose, and thinks he will enter the furniture business.

The circus Monday drew large audiences both afternoon and evening and the entertainments as a whole were exceptionally good.

Mr. Lewis Cass Ledyard, of New York, has rented XX cottage across the beach for the season.

## IT IS CLEVELAND.

RECEIVES THE NOMINATION ON THE FIRST BALLOT.

Adal E. Stevenson of Illinois is second on the ticket—Condensed Report of the Doings of Democrats at Chicago.



OVER CLEVELAND.

Chicago, June 22.—The convention was called to order by Chairman Brice. Prayer was offered, and Hon. William G. Owen of Kentucky was made temporary chairman. The temporary organization was completed. Mr. Owen made a speech in which he eulogized the party and admonished the members to work harder than ever for success this year.

A resolution of sympathy with James G. Blaine was offered and adopted amid unanimous applause.

Then, at 2 p. m., the convention adjourned to 11 a. m. today.

The permanent chairman of the convention will be Hon. William L. Wilson of West Virginia.

Henry Watterson, who has all along been one of the most bitter opponents of Cleveland, during the day addressed a meeting of the Kentucky delegation. In his remarks he said that from this time on he is a Cleveland man, seeing that his nomination is inevitable.

Of the situation there is little to say. The sum and substance of the opinions expressed affirm that Cleveland will be nominated.

A meeting of colored men was held in the Democratic headquarters. Many of those present said they were Republicans and were opposed to Harrison and concluded that they desired to enter the Democratic party.

At 11:30 in the evening Mr. Whittier said Cleveland was sure of 600 votes, and that a gain of twenty-five had been made since the day before.

## SECOND DAY'S SESSION.

CHICAGO, June 23.—At the forenoon session of the convention there was a call for the report of the committee on credentials, and this not being ready, a speech was made by Senator Palmer. Then the committee came in, and after its report had been adopted, William L. Wilson was made permanent chairman. His speech was an able one and was warmly received.

The committee on resolutions was not ready to report, and to give them time to do a recess was taken until 6 o'clock.

The whole evening session was marked by the greatest enthusiasm, the cheers for Cleveland in one instance continuing twenty minutes without interruption, and at another time for Hill twenty-three minutes without a break.

The committee on resolutions reported the platform, which is very long, and when its reading was concluded there was considerable discussion about the tariff plank. Finally the plank reported was substituted by the plank in the platform of 1888. An attempt was made to insert a more radical silver plank, but this failed.

A rollcall on the tariff plank was ordered and the substitute adopted by a vote of 504 to 342.

On the roll of states for nomination speeches was commenced, and when New Jersey was reached Governor Abbott arose and placed the name of Grover Cleveland before the convention.

Hill was nominated by DeWitt of New York.

Bates was nominated by Dimon of Iowa and his nomination was seconded by Henry Watterson.

Hon. P. A. Cellius of Massachusetts seconded the nomination of Cleveland.

Ochs of Tennessee seconded the nomination of Cleveland, and then the rollcall went on down, seconding speeches being received from Texas and Virginia. Mr. Daniel responding for the latter state.

Other concluding speeches were received, and when the roll was finished Bourke Cockran got the platform.

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Domestic Infidelity.

GARDNER, Mass., June 21.—Mrs. Mary Clark and her child, 2 1/2 years old, were found in a stream of water back of her house in Hubbardston yesterday afternoon. She tied the child to her with a piece of her apron, then jumped into the water, lying face down, the water not being deep enough to drown her otherwise. The cause of the act is said to be domestic infidelity.

The electric light over the New York delegation fell with a crash at this point, and the rollcall of states on the motion was dispensed with, owing to the confusion which followed. There was a small panic, but this was quelled without injury to one.

The motion was referred to the proper committee.

Then the officers of the convention were thanked, and the convention adjourned sine die.

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## WASHINGTON MATTERS.

President Harrison Notified of His Nomination—Washington Republicans Hold Enthusiastic Matriculation Meeting—Significant Visit From Mr. Depew—Congressional Interest in the Chicago Convention—Notes.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 20, 1892.

Republican enthusiasm is plentiful around Washington today. The committee appointed by the National convention, headed by Gov. McKinley, called at the White House at noon for the purpose of officially notifying the President of his nomination for the Presidency. The President surrounded by the members of his Cabinet and other prominent Republicans received the committee in the East room of the White House. Gov. McKinley made the notification speech, which was a model of its kind, not too gushing, not too stiff. In short, it was just the right speech for the occasion, and earned for the governor the applause and congratulations of all who were fortunate enough to hear it.

The President's reply was, like all the rest of his speeches in choice language and perfect good taste, but indulged in no bragging or blustering—he is incapable of that sort of thing—it is impossible to feel his feelings about the result of the election. He is confident of winning, but those who talk with him soon find out that he fully realizes the obstacles to be overcome, and does not expect to win without a hard fight, and the aid of every Republican; and the knowledge that he has conscientiously performed his duty and given the country an administration that every patriotic American is proud of, makes him confident that no Republican will withhold his aid or vote.

Washington has already held a number of ratification meetings since the nominations were made, several by the State Republican Association, and one to-night there is to be another one, the principal speakers being Gov. McKinley and other prominent members of the notification committee. When it is remembered that the weather has been oppressively hot here ever since the Minneapolis convention was held, this is a remarkable showing, and it gives the lie to Democratic statements that Republicans are indifferent to Harrison and Reid.

The presence of Hon. Chauncy M. Depew in Washington as the guest of Secretary Elkins has revived and given strength to the rumor connecting Mr. Depew's name with the cabinet vacancy, although some will have it that he comes only in an advisory capacity. Should Mr. Depew enter the cabinet it is regarded as probable that Secretary Tracy will be given the vacancy on the Supreme Court, as the President would likely care to have two members of his cabinet from New York, although there are plenty of precedents for his doing so if he feels so inclined. It is almost certain that Mr. Depew has been asked to become Secretary of State, and it is believed that he has not given a decisive answer because he wished to consider the matter and consult his friends before doing so.

The Democrats of the House nearly all wanned to go to Chicago to see the fight to the death between Cleveland and Tammany, and not desiring to present such a spectacle to the country as holding session with all empty seats on the side of the House to which two-thirds of the members belong they adjourned from Saturday until Wednesday, with the understanding that another adjournment for three days would be taken on that day, and the Republican members good naturedly acquiesced.

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Before the House adjourned Saturday, Representative Killgore, of Texas, prevented the



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## How to make French Rolls.

Boil four potatoes of ordinary size, having peeled them first, and mash them up in the water in which they were boiled. Stir the potatoes into a quart of flour, adding the usual quantity of yeast. Make the dough thick, as hard as it will hold together. In rolling, it softens so much that it can just be kneaded without sticking.

The kneading is an important part of the operation. A quarter of an hour's kneading ought to suffice for a small recipe like the one here given. Knead by drawing out one end like a rope, and rolling the other portion over and over. The object of making the dough thick and stiff to begin with is to avoid putting in flour after the dough is light, for the mass softens so much by putting potatoes in that it will be just right when fermented.

After the kneading, put the dough away to ferment again, and when light, knead as before. A third kneading still improves it, but it is not necessary. No butter should be put in these rolls, or in bread either, as it makes it like a shortcake in grain, which is precisely what one desires to avoid.

Good rolls ought to be puffs of wheat flour baked; they ought to tear in shreds or strips, have a fibre or grain like the husk of a coconut, and a fragrant wheat smell; and lastly have a rather tough spring or tear to them, and a crackly crust. In form they are round at the sides and bottom, and this is attained by rolling them up between the hands, as many suppose, but from the potatoes, and the way in which they are kneaded. Each roll must be cut off the mass of the dough; that is to say, the dough must not be kneaded and then shaped into rolls, but must be kneaded and put back into the pan again to rise in a lump. When raised and kneaded the last time, turn it all out on the board, cut off each roll from the mass without tearing or disturbing it, or ever touching it with the hands (a little practice will enable one to do it), and place them evenly in the baking-pan about an inch apart. After standing a few minutes—say five or six—they will be ready to go into the oven, and ten minutes ought to bake them if they are light.

Before they are put into the oven they should be cut down the middle with a knife dripping with melted butter. This prevents the cut sides from coming together and makes the loaf clear and well defined.

As to the trouble involved in the process, I leave that to the judgment of the housekeepers. At six in the evening we set our rolls, at nine they are ready to knead. They are left all night to rise again, and the first thing in the morning before the fire is made, are kneaded again. When they are light, which will be in an hour, they are ready to take.—[Harper's Bazaar.]

## Brotherly Foresight.

Little Tom was involved in the difficulties of learning to dress himself, and regarded his buttons which had to be fastened behind his back as so many devils to torment small boys.

One morning he was informed of the arrival of a baby sister, and later in the day was allowed to steal into his mother's chamber to look at the baby as she lay asleep.

Tom regarded the small creature with much interest, and the nurse, wishing to know what his thoughts were, asked him softly:

"Well, boy, do you like her? Isn't she a darling?"

"I don't think she looks much good!" answered Tom, with uncompromising frankness. "How soon will she be big enough to fasten my back buttons?"—[Youth's Companion.]

It is said that a society lady of a neighboring town, slightly absent minded, in her hurry to start for church took from a closet a pair of her husband's trousers for her infant, threw them over her arm, and did not discover her mistake until she had thrown them over the back of the pew in front of her.

Note.—This letter has a date.

## A "Personal" from Marion Harland.

February 13th, 1892.

"In spite of my protest the Royal Baking Powder Co. continues to use a recommendation of Royal Baking Powder given by me several years ago."

"Since then my views and practice with regard to the powder manufactured by this Company have undergone a radical change. I give decided preference to a pure cream-of-tartar-and-soda mixture. For this reason Cleveland's Baking Powder is in steady use in my kitchen."

Jess "Did you say Harry's father was a congressman?" Bees "No; he never mentioned it; but I surmised there was a skeleton in the family closet."

Maria Harland

## What the Sky Is.

### He Meant Well.

#### It was at the close of the wedding breakfast. One of the guests arose, and, glass in hand, said: "I drink to the health of the bridegroom."

#### The intention was good, but the bride looked as if something had displeased her.

#### "What because of that fool, Saphead, who had more money than he knew what to do with?" Business man—I don't remember him. Was he much of a fool? "Perfectly idiotic." The chances are that he has dropped into society."

#### Every testimonial regarding Hood's Sarsaparilla is an honest unpurchaseable statement of what this medicine has actually done.

#### No nation can ever be destroyed while it possesses a good home-life.

#### The infant reason grows space and calls for one more application of that good friend, Salvation Oil. Which always kills pain.

#### That life is long which answers life's great end.

#### It is not pleasant to hear people constantly coughing when they could easily be cured by a decent bottle of Dr. Hall's Cough Syrup.

#### What makes life dreary is the want of motives.

#### I WAS A FOOL.

#### Yes, they call me a fool not to try Salpura Bitters for rheumatism, from which I suffer continually. But I had tried so many drugs and medicines with no good result that I was disengaged. I am now on my fourth bottle and almost cured. I was a fool that I didn't try that wonderful remedy before. C. G. Pratt, Manchester, N. H.

#### An empty head is full of vain conceits.

#### MY FAMILY DOCTOR.

#### For the last two years has been Sunbury Bitter, and until I began using them in my family, we had more or less sickness, and our doctor's bill has been very large. Since we began to use them we have had no doctor to pay, and threefold increased our savings, and kept health in our family.—E. E. Knott, Postmaster, Waverly, Iowa.

#### Little Things.

#### It is curious to note that many things which have turned out most useful discoveries for man, having a great influence upon the lives and destinies of mankind, owe their beginning to some slight accident.

#### It is said that the art of printing took its origin from some rude impressions taken (for the amusement of children) from letters carved on the bark of a peach tree.

#### Gunpowder was discovered from the falling of a spark on some materials mixed in a mortar.

#### The stupendous results of the steam engine may all be traced to the boy who sat watching the steam which came from the nose of the tea-kettle.

#### Electricity was discovered by a person observing that a piece of rubbed glass attracted small bits of paper.

#### Pendulum clocks were invented after Galileo stood observing the lamp in a church swinging to and fro.

#### An hour lost will get behind you and chase you forever.

#### No honey can sweeten the bread of discontent.

#### "A God send is Elly's Green Balm. I had asthma for three years. Two or three times a week my nose would bleed. I thought the bones would never heal. Our Balm has cured me."—M. M. Jackson, Portsmouth, N. H.

#### There is not a moment without some duty.

#### I was so much troubled with asthma it seriously affected my voice. One bottle of Elly's Green Balm did the work. My voice is fully restored.—B. F. Leopold, A. M., Pastor of the Oliver Baptist Church, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### Hatred is a fire which burns, but consumes not.

#### It has cost others and will cure you! It is true only of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. The motto suits the medicine and the medicine suits the motto. What better assurance could you have that a remedy will cure you, than the fact that it has cured such multitude of others?

#### Electric Bitters was discovered from the falling of a spark on some materials mixed in a mortar.

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#### Pendulum clocks were invented after Galileo stood observing the lamp in a church swinging to and fro.

#### An hour lost will get behind you and chase you forever.

#### Preventative balm may be prevented and the hair made to grow on heads already bald by the use of Dr. Hall's Vegetable Indian Hair Renewer.

#### Sir Isaac Newton was sitting in his garden one day when he saw an apple fall from a tree. This common occurrence set him to thinking why things should fall down and not up, and the train of thought led him to the discovery of the law of gravitation.

#### Every one can now appreciate the importance of the slight matters spoken of, because of the wonderful results now before the world. But the beginnings of these were treated with ridicule or contempt. No matter how unimportant a circumstance appears, it is possible that great results may come from it. In a small building which was once Peter the Great's workshop in Holland is the inscription: "Nothing is too little for the attention of a great man."

#### Couldn't Place Him.

#### Mr. Joseph Jefferson has difficulty in remembering names. He told this story to a friend:

#### "I was coming down in the elevator of the Stock Exchange building, and at one of the intermediate floors a man whose face I knew as well as yours got in. He greeted me very warmly at once, said it was a number of years since we had met, and was very gracious and friendly.

#### But I couldn't place him for the life of me. I asked him as a sort of feeler how he happened to be in New York, and he answered with a touch of surprise that he had lived there several years. Finally I told him in an apologetic way that I couldn't recall his name."

#### "He looked at me for a moment and then no said very quietly that his name was U. S. Grant."

#### "What did you do, Joe?"

#### "Do?" he replied, with a characteristic smile, "why, I got out at the next floor for fear I should be foot enough to ask him if he had ever been in the war."

#### "How has that railroad into your city affected her prosperity?" "Ruined it. People can get away now for less than it costs to stay."

#### Jess "Did you say Harry's father was a congressman?" Bees "No; he never mentioned it; but I surmised there was a skeleton in the family closet."

#### Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

## PUBLIC LAWS OF THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND—PASSED AT THE JANUARY SESSION, A. D. 1892.

### CHAPTER 108.

(Passed February 14, 1892.)  
AN ACT in amendment of and in addition to Chapter 135 of the Public Statutes, "Of Manufacturing Corporations."

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

Section 1. Any manufacturing corporation included within the provisions of Chapter 135 of the Public Statutes, which has no manufactory established in any town in this State, may file the certificates required by Section 101 of Chapter 1 with the town clerk of the town in this State where the office of the corporation is located.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect immediately, and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent therewith are hereby repealed.

CHAPTER 109.

(Passed March 9, 1892.)  
AN ACT in amendment of Section 8, Chapter 125 of the Public Laws, entitled "An Act providing for the burial of any honorable discharged soldier or sailor who shall hereafter die without leaving means to defray the necessary funeral expenses."

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

Section 1. The Town Clerks of the several towns are hereby authorized and directed to keep at least two days before the first Wednesday in April, a special collection account for the burial and interment of the town members to be held on said day. Wednesday in April, containing the contributions to the Corporation of the State proposed by the resolution of the General Assembly, passed on the 24th day of March, 1892, such warrant to be directed and served in all other respects in manner provided by law.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

CHAPTER 110.

(Passed March 21, 1892.)  
AN ACT in amendment of Section 8, Chapter 125 of the Public Statutes.

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

Section 1. Section 8 of Chapter 125 of the Public Statutes is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"See 8. The sum of fifteen hundred dollars annually is appropriated to be expended under the direction of the Rhode Island Historical Society for the care and preservation, and the cataloguing of the property of the State in its keeping, and for the purchase and binding of books relating to the history of the State, and for opening and preserving the records in the several towns of the State."

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

CHAPTER 111.

(Passed February 18, 1892.)  
AN ACT in amendment of Chapter 117 of the Public Statutes, "Of Certain Fisheries."

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

Section 1. Section 25 of Chapter 117 of the Public Statutes is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"See 25. Every person who shall take any trap between the fifteenth day of August and the first day of March shall forfeit twenty dollars for each offence. But nothing herein contained shall be construed as to prohibit the taking and sale of trap artificially contrived in traps or ponds at any season of the year."

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER 112.

(Passed March 8, 1892.)  
AN ACT to authorize the abandonment of the passenger station in the city of Providence.

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

Section 1. Upon the completion of the new passenger station and approaches now being constructed by the Old Colony Railroad Company and the New York, Providence and Boston Railroad Company, in the city of Providence, and the performance by said city of the agreement made between it and them on the first day of January, 1891, for the sale by the city to them of certain Cove lands, including the land on which said new station is being constructed, and the purchase by said company of the land on which the present passenger station stands, said railroad companies shall abandon the present station and the land relating to the city under said agreement.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect from and after its passage, and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

CHAPTER 113.

(Passed March 19, 1892.)  
AN ACT in amendment of and in addition to Chapter 31 of the Public Laws, entitled "An Act authorizing the Board of Aldermen of any city to make regulations for the removal of night soil."

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

Section 1. Moderators and clerks of voting districts in towns shall be elected annually from the qualified electors of their respective districts, on the day of the annual election of town officers in the several towns.

Sec. 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed, and this act shall take effect immediately.

CHAPTER 114.

(Passed April 8, 1892.)  
AN ACT prohibiting the sale to and use of tobacco by minors under the age of sixteen years.

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

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**AROUND THE WORLD.**

From Budapesth to Vienna.—The Fri-

dauh in Wieden.—The Imperial Metal-

The Feudal Castle of Esterhazh with

Its Antiques Furniture and Carvings of

Wood and Stone.—A Call on Minister

Gran.

(By HON. NICHOLAS HALL.)

STRASBURG, April 14, 1892.

At 8.00 A. M. Saturday, April 9, we

leave Budapesth on the Oriental Ex-

press, rolling along the banks of the

Danube; now almost overhanging the

water and then receding for half a mile

or occasionally even a mile at some unu-

sual bend of the river. The land is in

a high state of cultivation planted in

strips from 100 to 300 feet long and from

25 to 90 feet in width. The fields are

level almost without exception. We see

many women at work, without hats or bonnets, while the men wear hats with brims as in America.

In an old paper I read of the release

of a young student soldier, Jasmovics,

who had served a long term of impris-

onment for drinking to the health of

Louis Kosuth at a celebration in hon-

or of the Emperor. Strong petitions

were sent the sovereign to secure the

pard of the young man, but he had

to serve his full sentence. Recently a

Hungarian selected as driver for the Im-

perial party over a very rough road

suddenly turned to the Emperor and said

that "I have driven a greater man than

your Majesty over this road."

"Who was it?" asked the Emperor, quietly.

His Majesty, Louis Kosuth, was the re-

sponsible person.

At 2 p. m. we arrived at Hotel Metro-

pole, Vienna.

Here is a city almost without a rival

in the grandeur of its monumental and

government buildings, while in its

25,000 dwelling houses live nearly

1,500,000 people, including the garri-

son. These figures show that the houses

are large, but this is not all; they are

all substantial and most of them elegant,

for the laws in regard to symmetry, du-

rability and safety are so stringent that

the poor man can not build. He must

hire rooms of wealthy landlords, and live

in some of the palaces to be seen

everywhere. Still builders have an eye

to economy, and build large tenement

structures with that end in view. The

Frühling in Wieden, one of the suburbs

of Vienna, is the most spacious building

on our planet. It contains nearly

1500 living rooms, besides hundreds of

closets, baths, etc., and is divided into

about 100 tenements. It has thirteen

courtyards—five open and eight covered

—and a large garden, all inside the walls.

There are 31 staircases. The postman

frequently delivers 1000 pieces

of mail here daily, and the receipts represent

nearly every leading trade and profes-

sion. Tenants, who pay a yearly rent of more

than 100,000 florins.

Vienna is about 550 feet above sea-

level, and is surrounded by hills crowded

with forests, vineyards and gardens;

the slopes descending to the Danube,

here 1000 feet wide, which sweeps past

